

IT IS NOW COMPLETE

Calvary Baptist Church to Be Dedicated Next Sunday.

PROGRAM FOR THE OCCASION

Rapid and Successful Growth of the Young Society Since Its Organization—A Beautiful Edition.

After three years of hard, faithful work by the Rev. James Snashall, pastor of the Calvary baptist church, corner of Sixth avenue and South Ionia street, he will have the gratification of seeing a beautiful church edifice dedicated to the work next Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m. The church is a young organization, but its growth and development has been steady and highly pleasing to those of the baptist faith. Calvary Mission was organized May 16, 1886, and the church was organized November 10, 1888, with a membership of thirty-three enrolling at that date. The pulpit was supplied for a short time by the Rev. E. H. Brooks with marked success in increase of membership. June 27, 1890, the Rev. J. H. Snashall was given a unanimous call to the pastorate of the church. How well and faithfully he has filled his sacred office is attested by a present membership of 134, and a complete parsonage and a house of worship, the value of both being \$15,000. The church building and parsonage are brick structures and are models of modern architecture. The program prepared for Sunday's services is as follows:

10:30 a.m.—Regular morning service, preaching by the pastor. Sunday school immediately following the morning service.

2:30 p.m.—Mass meeting and dedicatory service, addresses by the following baptist pastors of this city: The Rev. Dudley M. Canfield, Berean baptist mission; the Rev. John L. Jackson, Fountain Street baptist church; the Rev. John Rockus, Messiah baptist church; the Rev. Robert Van Kirk, Second baptist church; the Rev. Emil Subkofsky, Swedish baptist church; the Rev. John Heritage, Wealthy Avenue baptist church, and the Rev. C. E. Conley of Detroit. Dedicatory prayer by the pastor.

7:30 p.m.—Regular evening service, preaching by the Rev. C. E. Conley.

Numerous invitations have been sent to friends of the church to be present at the services, and a large congregation is expected.

ONLY A FAMILY ROW.

Two Weeping Maidens Call on the Public Prosecutor.

Many persons have an idea that the prosecuting attorney is paid by the county to give legal advice to any of its citizens and to settle family quarrels. Yesterday afternoon two girls about 17 or 18 years old came into Mr. Wolcott's office weeping and wringing their hands. Their sobs choked them to such an extent that it was some moments before the drift of their story was made plain. It seemed that one of them had become involved in a quarrel with her father and he had ordered her out of doors. The two girls worked away from home, but their mother was sick and one of them went home to care for her, and it was at that time that they had the quarrel. The girls also said that the father treated their mother with great cruelty, but said the worst he did was scold. Mr. Wolcott advised them to go home and take care of their mother and not to talk back to their father if he scolded, and they departed. This is but a sample of the kind of people who occupy much of the valuable time of the prosecuting attorney.

BENSINGER SENTENCED.

The Gangs Counterfeiter Has Cost His Father \$1,500.

George Bensinger, the Gangs man who pleaded guilty in the United States court Tuesday to passing counterfeit coin, was sentenced by Judge Severens yesterday to one year imprisonment in the Detroit house of correction, and to pay a fine of \$400 and in default of paying the fine to be confined in the Allegan county jail until paid or otherwise discharged. The judge gave him a few timely suggestions as to the life a young man should adopt in order to become a good and respected citizen. Bensinger has a wife and two children and a father who has helped him out of difficulties on several occasions. His father was in court yesterday and made arrangements for paying the fine so the son will only have to serve the one year imprisonment. On a previous arrest Bensinger jumped his bail which was furnished by his father for \$800, and added to the fine and attorney fees in the present case makes a total of \$1,500 to his father.

DRAK TOO FREELY.

Mrs. Alma Rodgers Prostrated by Whisky and Morphine.

Mrs. Alma Rodgers, a woman about 30 years old, fell over unconscious in the Lake Shore depot, on West Fulton street, last evening shortly after 6 o'clock and the city ambulance was called to remove her to the Woman's home and hospital. She had a grip in which was found a named "cough" cure which was called to the hospital, and a bottle of whisky and a bottle of morphine were found in the bottle. She told the hospital attendants that she came from her home in Jackson yesterday morning and was going to Dear to see her child. She and she was addicted to the morphine habit and had drunk freely of the contents of the bottle yesterday, but did not take an overdose with suicidal intent.

NIKITA WILL COME.

Manager Emerson Closes a Contract for One of Four Concerts.

Charles S. Emerson, Lawrence S. Asbury and Ernest P. Carr returned yesterday from a week's visit to the world's fair. While in Chicago Mr. Emerson completed arrangements for the appearance of the great artist, Mile. Louise Nikita, in Lockerby Hall October 10. This will be the first appearance of the American Queen of Song after her appearance at the world's fair, and Grand Rapids will be one of four cities in America that will be favored by her presence this year, as also gals for Europe the latter part of this month. Manager Emerson states he will be engaged in his endeavor in securing the great Nikita concert in which will also be heard Miss' military band of thirty pieces and several eminent soloists.

W. M. Farmers' Club.

Next Tuesday, at 1:30, in the afternoon at the court house, the regular

monthly meetings of the club will begin again after the three months hiatus. A general invitation is always intended, and if we cannot prevent a drought we may freshen our interest in the timely topics of the day. Subject, "Such Hard Times."

A. W. SLATTON,
Secretary.

Contagious Diseases.

Arthur Jordan, No. 323 Highland avenue, diphtheria; George Kline, U. B. A., home, typhoid fever; L. Hommel, No. 325 North Ionia street, typhoid fever; Hattie Foote, No. 23 Pleasant street, diphtheria.

Burial Permits.

Alice Buxton, No. 71 Umatilla street, Valley City.

Real Estate Transfers.

Charles W. Watkins and wife to Edward J. Murphy, lot 14, block 5, Winslow add.

Emory T. Wood et al. to Cornelius L. Harvey and Henry J. Heysek, lot 30, Wurzburg add.

John C. Hough and wife, lot 10, Winslow add.

W. W. Black and wife to Abram H. Delong and wife, parcels 2 and 3, block 2, Jamison's sub.

Peter W. Dinkler to James H. June, no. and block 104, lots 105, 106, 107 and 108, along & behind Winslow add.

John Davis and wife to A. L. Skinner, lot 22, block 13, Skinner's add.

Andrew J. Leoland to Benj. Louback, parcel lot 10, Tryon's add.

John Tibbles and wife to Charles Thibas, pieces of land on sec. 18, Lowell.

2,000

Marriage Licenses.

The following is a list of the marriage licenses issued since last publication, with the names, residence (when out of the city) and ages of the parties:

Age

Henry L. Mann, Springfield, Ill., and Lena R. Ferina, city.

John McFall and Maud Madison, 20-21

John Congdon, Ada and Jessie M. Burdick, Ada.

Frank M. Jopima, Jeffersonville and Fannie O. Pratt, city.

Cornelia Linsley and Ned L. Bush, Gaines.

Marvin F. Shuler, Caledonia and Lulu M. Knott, Caledonia.

Cornelia Carroll and Max Cargill.

Elli Hallman and Rosina Franklin.

George M. Ayars and Katie Peeler.

Corneilis Goudswaard and Dina Geelhoed.

48-49

That Joyful Feeling.

With the exhilarating sense of renewed health and strength and internal cleanliness which follows the use of Syrup of Fig, is unknown to the few who have not progressed beyond the old time medicines and the cheap substitutes sometimes offered but never accepted by the well informed.

Engagement Extraordinary.

Mile. Louise Nikita, the American Queen of Song, pupil of the great Strakosch and principal of the Imperial Opera, Russia, will appear in a grand concert in Lockerby Hall October 10.

CHAS. S. EMERSON, Manager.

Dr. Louis A. Roller has removed his office from over Peck's drug store to room 16 and 17 Gilbert block, 122 Monroe street. Phone 931.

THE People's Course.

Six entertainments for \$1; worth from 50 cents to \$1 each. Three splendid concerts. Three celebrated lectures. Sale opens next Tuesday. Line numbers given out Monday, 6:30 p.m., in Lockerby hall, Ionia street.

CHAS. S. EMERSON, Manager.

Our special linen sale of plain and fancy linens will open Monday morning, October 9, and continue through the CORL KNOTT & CO.

Grand Nikita Concert.

Mile. Louise Nikita, from the Imperial Opera, Russia, and Boos' military band of thirty pieces, in Lockerby Hall, October 10. Price of reserved seats, 50 and 75 cents.

CHAS. S. EMERSON, Manager.

No Charge for Birth.

In state room on the Holland and Chicago Line Steamers after Sept. 14 when passengers purchase regular full fare tickets. See adv. on inside page.

EXCURSION TO CHICAGO VIA D. G. H. & M. & GOODEICH LINE.

The D. G. H. & M. Ry company in connection with the Goodrich Line will run an excursion to Chicago on Saturday, September 30, and Monday, October 20, leaving Grand Rapids 4:35 p.m., arriving Chicago 6:30 a.m. Fare for the round trip \$30. Tickets good for ten days.

JAS. CAMPBELL, C. P. A.

Remember This,

That the world's fair closes October 30th. If you want to see it, take special excursions over Lake Shore Ry. October 11th and 18th. Half rates. Tickets good ten days.

Shiloh's Cure, the great cough and croup cure, is for sale by us. Pocket size contains twenty-five doses, only 25c. Children love it. Sold by F. J. Wurzburg.

It is Stranks.

Not people suffering from piles will endure them for years or submit to dangerous, painful, cruel and expensive surgical operations, when all the time there is a painless, certain, lasting cure, which gives instant relief and costs but a trifle. It is called the Pyramid Pile Cure and can be found at all drug stores. Any druggist will get it for you if you ask him.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Castor Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by F. J. Wurzburg.

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"Not a grize in a barrel of them."

Cash money for Bile Beans Wrappers.

Buy a bottle of Smith's Bile Beans (either size) and enclose the outside wrapper in a letter containing your name and address. We will pay you \$5 for it at once if your letter is the first one opened in our first morning mail, or \$2 if it is the 2d, 3d, 4th, 5th, 6th. This is good for every day except Sunday. Ask your druggist for the SMALL size. Full list printed at end of each month and mailed to all who send postage for it in cash.

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